- Examining the PCB congener data using chemical "fingerprinting" statistics, to investigate (1) possible contaminant sources, and (2) possible congener-specific toxicity.
- Using statistical techniques to permit comparison of the congener-specific data to the PCB Aroclor data generated in previous studies.
- Sampling yearling fish (smallmouth bass), and caged channel catfish and semipermeable membrane devices, to assess year-to-year changes in water quality and monitor the effectiveness of remedial activities.

More detailed descriptions of these activities follow in Section 3.